

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Public Services - Revenue Department - Sri D.Peddi Raju, former Tahsildar now Deputy Collector - Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 read with rule -24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 - Articles of charges framed and regular inquiry conducted - Charges partly held proved in the enquiry - Penalty of Stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect - imposed - Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE -1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 152

**Dated: 15.02.2023
Read the following:**

- 1.From the Dist. Collector, Visakhapatnam, Lr.Rc. No.5036/ 2013/ A1,Dt. 5.2.2014.
 2. GO. Rt. No. 53, Revenue (Vig. I) Dept., Dt. 02.02.2015.
 3. G.O.Rt.No. 456, Rev(Vig.I) Dept., Dt. 23.05.2015.
 4. G.O.Rt.No.1113, Revenue (Vigilance..I) Dept., dt:06.11.2019.
 5. G.O.Rt.No.1114, Revenue (Vigilance..I) Dept., dt:06.11.2019.
 - 6.From the District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam, Enquiry Report in Rc.No.5036/2013A1, Dt:22.04.2021.
 7. Govt., Memo No.16/3/2018/Vig.I(1)/2018, Dt.26.07.2021.
 8. Explanation of Sri D.Peddi Raju, former Tahsildar now Deputy Collector, Dt. .
 9. Letter.No. 16/3/2018/Vig.I (1)/2018-Vig.I, Dt.26.10.2022.
 10. APPSC, Lr.No.GAD03-APPSC0DCC/115/2022-DC SEC - APPSC (Computer No.1919436), Dt.04.01.2023
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ORDER:

In the G.Os, 2nd and 3rd read above, disciplinary proceedings were initiated against Sri D.Peddi Raju, former Tahsildar now Deputy Collector under rule-20 read with rule-24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal), Rules, 1991 for the irregularity of mis-representation of facts while fling counter in the Hon'ble High Court without making proper search of records; misplacement of records with an intention of cancellation of assignments in respect of Sy.No.16 of Yendada Village. In reply to the charges, the Charged Officer has not submitted his written statement of defence. Subsequently, the District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam and revenue Divisional Officer, Visakhapatnam were appointed as Inquiry Authority and Presenting Officer respectively vide references 4th and 5th cited respectively to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer. The Inquiry Authority cum District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam, after conducting enquiry, has submitted his report in the reference 6th cited, holding that the Charges frames against the Charged Officer as "Partly held proved". In the reference 7th cited, a copy of the enquiry report along with the disagreement

factors on the findings of the Inquiry Authority has been communicated to the Charged Officer, as required under Rule-21(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation vide reference 9th cited.

2. After examination of the Inquiry report and the explanation submitted thereon by Sri D.Peddi Raju, former Tahsildar now Deputy Collector Govt., have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of Stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect against him. Accordingly, after confirming the provisional decision, addressed a letter to APPSC in the reference 9th read above for concurrence. In the letter 10th read above, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, have agreed with the said proposal and given concurrence in this matter.

3. Accordingly, Government hereby impose the penalty of " Stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect" against Sri D.Peddi Raju, former Tahsildar now Deputy Collector.

4. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri/ District Collector, Visakhapatnam, shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

**G SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri D.Peddi Raju, former Tahsildar now Deputy Collector (through the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.)

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.

Copy to:-

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commissioner, Vijayawada.

The District Collector, Visakhapatnam District.

The Prl. AG (A&E), AP, Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Vijayawada.

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SECTION OFFICER